

TESTIMONIALS

IN FAVOUR OF

Henry Rutherford, M.B., C.M.

9 PRINCES TERRACE, DOWANHILL,
GLASGOW, *7th March*, 1886.

GENTLEMEN,

I beg to offer myself as a Candidate for the post of House Surgeon to the Greenock Infirmary.

I am a graduate of the University of Glasgow (M.A., 1880; M.B., C.M., 1884). From October, 1884, till June, 1885, I was one of the Resident Assistants in the Western Infirmary; the first six months with Dr. Hector Cameron; thereafter with Professor Gairdner, my time with him, however, being cut short by an attack of scarlet fever.

This winter I spent five months in Vienna studying some of the special subjects in Medicine and Surgery.

I beg to submit to your consideration the accompanying testimonials, to which I have added a list of teachers in Vienna from whom I hold certificates.

Should you see fit to appoint me, I think my interest in the work should ensure its being done to your satisfaction.

Your obedient Servant,

HENRY RUTHERFURD.

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*From W. T. GAIRDNER, M.D., etc., Regius Professor of the
Practice of Medicine in the University of Glasgow;
Physician in Ordinary to the Queen in Scotland.*

WESTERN INFIRMARY,
GLASGOW, 5th March, 1886.

DR. HENRY RUTHERFURD was attached to my wards as one of the Resident Physicians of this house in the Summer of 1885, and I had the advantage of being able to appreciate the great care and ability with which all his duties were performed at that time ; but unfortunately he was seized with scarlet fever, and was not able to resume his duties, and thereafter, going to study at Vienna, has been withdrawn from my observation since the period referred to.

I believe Dr. Rutherford to be in a very special degree well qualified for a hospital appointment, or for private practice, whether by his professional skill or by his manners and demeanour as a gentleman ; and I beg very warmly to recommend him accordingly.

W. T. GAIRDNER.

From T. M'CALL ANDERSON, M.D., etc., Professor of Clinical Medicine in the University of Glasgow ; Physician to the Glasgow Dispensary for Skin Diseases.

2 WOODSIDE TERRACE,
GLASGOW, 6th March, 1886.

I HAVE great pleasure in stating that MR. HENRY RUTHERFURD, M.B., C.M., was a distinguished student in the University of Glasgow. In my own class of Clinical Medicine he distinguished himself so highly that a first-class certificate of honour was awarded to him.

He also acted as Clinical Clerk in my wards at the Western Infirmary during the winter session 1883-84, the duties of which office he discharged to my entire satisfaction.

Since that time he has much enlarged his field of knowledge during a residence at some of the great Continental Schools of Medicine.

I anticipate for him a career of much usefulness and honour.

T. M'CALL ANDERSON.

From GEORGE H. B. MACLEOD, M.D., etc., *Regius Professor of Surgery in the University of Glasgow; Surgeon Extraordinary to the Queen in Scotland.*

10 WOODSIDE CRESCENT,
GLASGOW, *March*, 1886.

MR. HENRY RUTHERFURD, M.B., etc., was distinguished as a student by his intelligence and his conscientious application to his work. In all his classes he was among the best informed and most attentive workers, and he has since graduation not only acted as Resident Medical Officer in the Western Infirmary, where he had the best opportunities of learning his profession practically, but he has been in the foreign schools perfecting his knowledge in the higher branches of medical education.

It will be thus seen that Mr. Rutherford is now not only well equipped for practice, but has had such a training as specially fits him to hold with success the post of medical officer to a public institution.

In disposition and manners Mr. Rutherford is in every respect fitted to fill such a post as I have indicated with the utmost advantage.

GEO. H. B. MACLEOD.

From A. E. MAYLARD, B.S., M.B. Lond., Extra Dispensary Surgeon to the Western Infirmary, Glasgow.

GLASGOW, *March*, 1886.

DURING his House Surgeoncy at the Western Infirmary, Glasgow, DR. RUTHERFURD came immediately beneath my notice. While earnest in his application to his profession, I always found him kind to and careful of the patients; courteous and obliging to all with whom he laboured.

Possessed of the attributes of a gentleman and the essential requisites of a skilled professional man, his appointment to any institution cannot, I feel sure, be otherwise than to the interest of the same.

A. ERNEST MAYLARD.

From GEORGE BUCHANAN, M.D., etc., *Professor of Clinical Surgery in the University of Glasgow.*

GLASGOW UNIVERSITY, 6th March, 1886.

I HAVE much pleasure in recommending MR. H. RUTHERFURD, M.B., C.M., as in every way well qualified for the office of House Surgeon to the Greenock Infirmary.

After taking his degree he resided in the Western Infirmary in charge of some of the Surgical and afterwards of the Medical wards. Besides gaining in knowledge of his profession in this practical way, he has added to his information by studying in Vienna.

I can confidently affirm that he will be a most useful and reliable official.

GEORGE BUCHANAN.

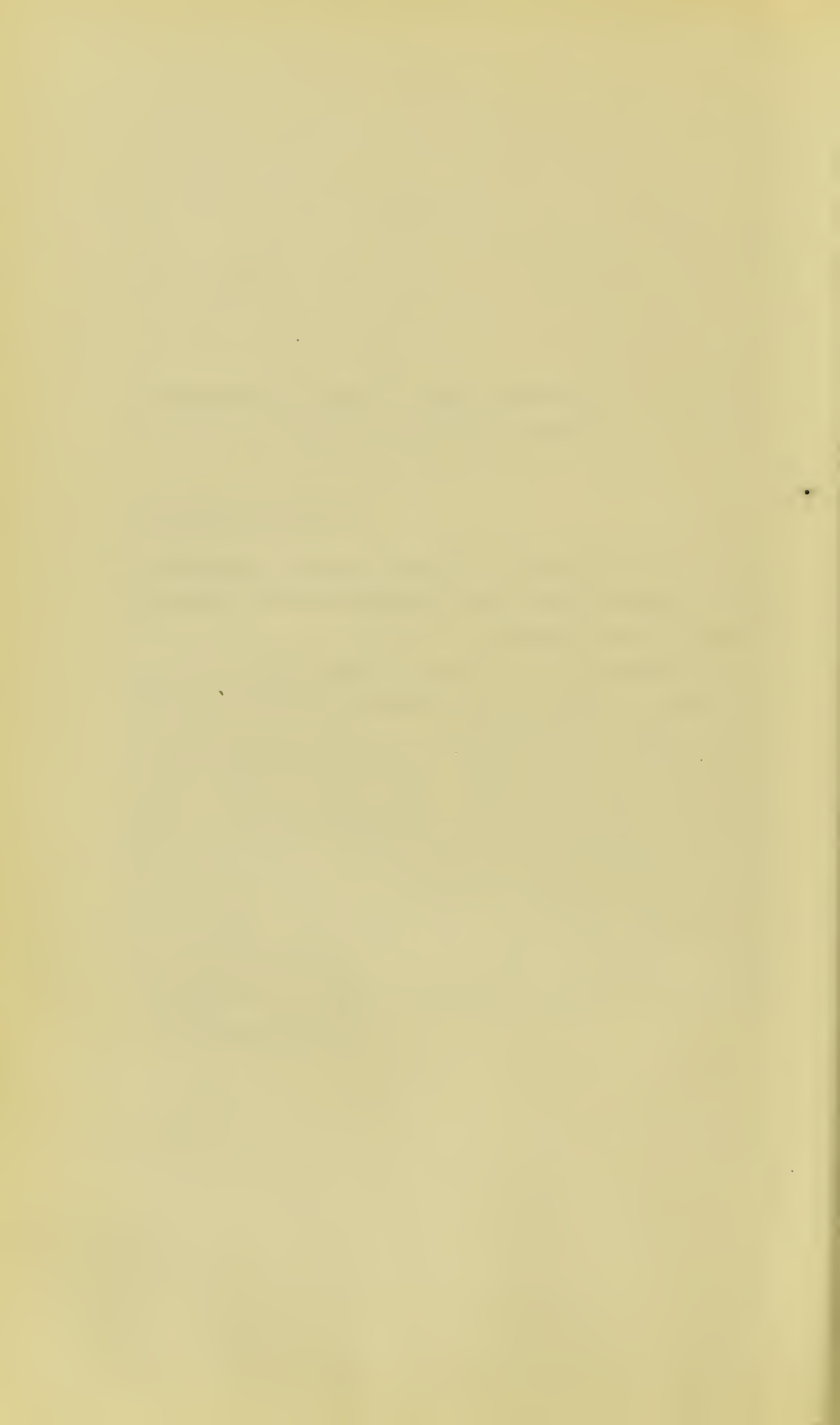
*From A. W. RUSSELL, M.B., Medical Superintendent,
Western Infirmary, Glasgow.*

GLASGOW, *March*, 1886.

I HAVE much pleasure in recommending the application of DR. H. RUTHERFURD to the consideration of the Managers of the Greenock Infirmary.

Dr. Rutherford was one of our Resident Surgeons during the winter of 1884-85, and was afterwards a Resident Physician during the following six months, having charge of Professor Gairdner's wards. He also for three months attended the patients of the Erysipelas house. Having fully availed himself of the experience to be gained in these various departments, an experience to which he must have considerably added by a visit during this winter to the special clinics at Vienna, he is, I am sure, well fitted to discharge the duties of the post for which he now applies.

A. W. RUSSELL.



From HECTOR C. CAMERON, M.D., etc., *Surgeon and Lecturer on Clinical Surgery, Glasgow Western Infirmary; Surgeon to the Glasgow Hospital for Sick Children; Consulting Surgeon to the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, Gartnavel.*

203 BATH STREET,
GLASGOW, 5th March, 1886.

MR. HENRY RUTHERFURD, M.B., acted as my House Surgeon in the Glasgow Western Infirmary for six months.

Afterwards he acted as House Physician under Dr. Gairdner in the same institution, and since leaving it has been engaged in the further study of his profession in Vienna.

I need hardly say that no course of preparation could possibly be more suitable in the case of any one essaying, as he does now, to become House Surgeon of an important general hospital, than that which he has thus passed through.

I have pleasure in adding that while he acted under me he gave abundant evidence of being possessed of an excellent knowledge of his profession, and was always most kind in all his relations with the patients. I wish him every success in his present application.

HECTOR C. CAMERON.

TEACHERS IN VIENNA REFERRED TO IN LETTER
OF APPLICATION.

PROF. SCHNITZLER,	. . .	Diseases of the Throat, &c.
DR. OTTOKAR CHIARI,	. . .	Do.
PROF. A. V. REUSS,	. . .	Diseases of the Eye.
DR. L. V. HERZ,	. . .	Do.
	Assistant to Prof. STELLWAG.	
DR. F. DIMMER,	. . .	Do.
	Assistant to Prof. FUCHS.	
DR. E. BOCHNER,	. . .	Do.
	Assistant to Prof. FUCHS.	
PROF. VICTOR URBANTSCHITSCH,		Diseases of the Ear.
DR. JACOB NEUMANN,	. . .	Do.
	Assistant to Prof. GRUBER and Prof. POLITZER.	
DR. LUSTGARTEN,	. . .	Diseases of the Skin.
	Assistant to Prof. KAPOSI.	
DR. A. ZEMANN,	. . .	Pathological Anatomy.
	Assistant to Prof. KUNDRATH.	
DR. EDUARD PRITZL,	. . .	Diseases of Women.
	Assistant to Prof. CARL BRAUN.	
DR. H. V. ERLACH,	. . .	Operative Midwifery.
	Assistant to Prof. CARL BRAUN.	

